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REMARKS

Claims 30-55 are now in this application. New claims 47-55 are added. Claims 30-34, 36-38 and 42-46 are amended herein to broaden language as deemed appropriate, in particular, the "slot" is broadened to "recess" and the "integral" limitation is removed from claim 30.

With the exception of the distinction that the "slot engaging member" is integral with the hinge leaf, the remaining arguments presented in the Amendment filed March 8, 2004, are reasserted with "recess" recited in place of the "slot." The "integral" feature is now recited in claim 55 and is supported by the prior arguments.

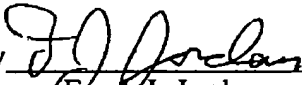
Five claims in excess of twenty are added. Accordingly, please charge the fee of \$45.00 to Deposit Account No. 10-1250.

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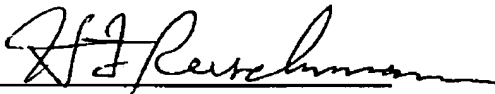
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In light of the foregoing, the application is now believed to be in proper form for allowance of all claims and notice to that effect is earnestly solicited. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-1250.

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